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Via U.S. Mail Return Receipt No. 7009 1680 0002 2607 9245 and Electronic Mail

Suzanne Tipton
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RE: ACQUISITION OF CONTROL OF EMPOWER HEALTHCARE SOLUTIONS, LLC, A DOMESTIC RISK-BASED PROVIDER ORGANIZATION, BY TSCFE EP LLC, MICHAEL CONNER SEARCY, AND TANNER COPE ("APPLICANTS")

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 23-69-142, and other applicable provisions of Arkansas law, you are hereby notified that a PUBLIC HEARING will be held as to the filing described above before the Insurance Commissioner or his designated Hearing Officer. The Public Hearing will be held in the Hearing Room on the Second Floor of the Department of Commerce, One Commerce Way, Little Rock, Arkansas, on **February 4, 2022 at 1:00 p.m.** Due to the current conditions regarding COVID-19, the hearing may be conducted, at least in part, via a virtual meeting or telephone conference; however, in-person attendance is acceptable as well.

The Public Hearing is being held to consider whether the Commissioner should amend AID Order No. 2021-56 approving the acquisition or change in control of Empower Healthcare Solutions, LLC by the Applicants.

The Commissioner will retain a competent Reporter to make a full stenographic record of the proceedings at the Applicant's expense. An appearance fee is charged by the Reporter, which the Applicant must pay or arrange to pay on the date of the Public Hearing. Additional charges will be assessed the Applicant for the transcript of this Public Hearing, which the Department will order from the Reporter.

The Department will make all Hearing Exhibits available to the parties upon timely request, as required by and in conformity with the Arkansas Administrative Procedures Act, Ark. Code Ann. §§ 25-15-201, *et seq.*

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this Public Hearing.

Sincerely yours,

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